

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

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MICHAEL W. DOBBINS
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA ex rel. }

Joseph Max #N-21823 }

PETITIONER }

Indictment No. 81 C 2158

VS.

Warden, Kevin Gilson

RESPONDENT,

08CV616

JUDGE KENNELLY

MAG. JUDGE NOLAN

MOTION TO PROCEED AS A POOR PERSON
AND
HAVE COUNSEL APPOINTED

Now comes JOSEPH MAX, pursuant to Supreme Court Rule 298 requesting he be allowed to proceed in forma pauperis and have counsel appointed for these proceedings. In Support thereof it is stated as follows;

- 1) Petitioner has been incarcerated approx. 27 years with no means of subsistence.
- 2) He had no income during the preceding year(s) due to his imprisonment.
- 3) He expects no income due to his incarceration.
- 4) He owns no real or personal property of value.
- 5) He has made no applications to sue as a poor person during the previous year.
- 6) He is unable to pay the costs of this action and to retain counsel.
- 7) He has a meritorious cause of action.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT!

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